



**Q3**

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**Data Pack  
Quattro Model Q3**

Safe, automated, effective prevention and removal of dry powder,  
particulate build up and blockages.



## ◆ Technical Information

# Quattro Model Q3

### APPLICATION

### BENEFITS

#### Filters

Prevents high pressure drop  
Increases bag life  
Eliminates Build up

#### Silos/Bins

Prevents ratholing and build up on vertical walls  
Prevents hopper bridging

#### Bulk Road Tankers

Ensures maximum payload  
Aids in complete evacuation

#### ID Fans

Prevents out of balance conditions  
Reduces fan energy requirements

#### Power Generation Plant

Prevents deposit build up on heat transfer surfaces  
Eliminate steam sootblowers

#### Specification:

- Frequency 120 Hz
- Sound Pressure Level 152 dB
- Air Pressure Requirement  
4.8 – 6.2 bar 70 – 90 psi 480 – 620 kPa
- Air Consumption  
21.25 l/s 45 SCFM when  
Sounding
- Solid Piping 20mm/1 inch
- Flexible Piping 25mm/0.75 inch
- Overall height 1365mm

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◆ **Technical Information**

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**Material of Construction:**

**Bell Section(s)**

316 Grade Stainless Steel

**Wave Generator**

Solid Machined Stainless Steel

**Diaphragm**

Ultra High Grade Titanium

**Accessory Equipment:**

- **Solenoid Valve**
- **Individual Timer**
- **Automatic Timing System (PLC)**
- **Pressure Gauge/Regulator**
- **Range of Mountings**

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### Specification

#### **Fundamental Frequency: 120Hz**

With a low fundamental frequency the Q3 is suitable for providing powerful and effective acoustic cleaning for medium applications and is particularly suited to applications such as boilers, filters, heat exchange areas, silos and SCRs.

#### **Sound power level: 148dB**

Measured in a fully anechoic chamber with a lower frequency cut off of 40Hz

#### **Air pressure requirement:**

**4.8 – 6.2 Bar 70 – 90 psi @ 5.5bar 80psi**

Normal plant air can be used there is no need to use expensive instrument air. For applications where oxygen may not be present nitrogen can be used.

#### **Air consumption:**

**21.25l/s 45SCFM @ 5.5 bar 80psi when sounding**

To calculate the average air consumption for an acoustic cleaner you must know the sounding pattern. This can be found on the final page of your operation and maintenance manual, alternatively contact Primasonics® Technical department. With a typical sounding pattern a Primasonics Q3 will use 1.06Nm<sup>3</sup> per hour, this low consumption means that air receivers and the associated cost of purchase, inspection and installation can be avoided.

#### **Materials of construction:**

**Wave generator: As Standard 316 Stainless Steel, EN Steel no. k.h.s**

**DIN 1.4401 EN Steel name, X5CrNiMo17-12-2, UNS S31600**

Close tolerance CNC machined to provide a good surface finish and fit. Type 316 is suitable for food and pharmaceutical uses. The addition of molybdenum within the alloy prevents specific forms of corrosion. It is also known as marine grade stainless steel due to its increased resistance to chloride corrosion. 316 stainless steel is particularly suited to harsh and corrosive operating conditions. Machining rather than casting allows a smooth surface to maximise the area of laminar air flow and boost output power.

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#### **Diaphragm: Grade 5 Titanium Ti-6Al-4V**

Titanium Grade 1-4 is pure Titanium, the other grades are alloys. An alloy is used by Primasonics® because of the extremely high strength to weight ratio and heat resistance. As the diaphragm is the only moving part of an acoustic cleaner it must possess a high strength and resistance to fatigue failure. Grade 5 with a minimum tensile strength of 897 MPa 130(ksi) compares very favourably to Grade 1 titanium which has a minimum tensile strength of just 241 MPa. The high strength to weight ratio of 226 ( $\times 10^6 \text{N.m.kg}^{-1}$ ) allows the diaphragm to exhibit high fatigue strength with low inertia which is well suited to periodic operation allowing the cleaner to come quickly to full power.

### **Materials of construction:**

#### **Horn Sections: As Standard 316 Stainless Steel, EN Steel no. k.h.s DIN 1.4401 EN Steel name, X5CrNiMo17-12-2, UNS S31600**

The Acoustic Cleaner horn sections are available as standard in 316 stainless steel. In addition to the properties mentioned in the wave generator section 316 also has good oxidation resistance in intermittent service to 870°C and in continuous service to 925°C. All the horn sections are manufactured to provide a smooth internal surface to minimise losses caused by friction at the horn surface, horn surfaces are finished to a minimum of 180/1 grit /BS 1499 Gr.3B. The method of manufacture allows us to create the correct exponential expansion which avoids the edge reflections and loss of power experienced when fabricating horns from a series of cones.

While 316 grade provides excellent physical characteristics and performance for most applications other materials can be provided for specific operating conditions. We have also manufactured from 310 grade, inconel, hastalloys, and food grade polymers using a resin transfer moulding process.

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### **Materials of construction:**

**Mountings: As Standard 304 Stainless Steel, EN Steel no. k.h.s DIN 1.4301 EN Name 304S31 UNS S30400**

A very wide range of mounting options are available from Primasonics®. As standard these mountings are supplied in 304 stainless steel which has excellent corrosion resistance in a wide range of atmospheric environments and many corrosive media. Heat resistance is provided with good oxidation resistance in intermittent service to 870°C and in continuous service to 925°C. Grade 304 also has outstanding welding characteristics even when welded to dissimilar materials making it very suitable for a wide range of installations from part of a O.E.M installation to a retrofit on existing plant. Another advantage of 304 grade is that post-weld annealing is not required when welding thin sections.

### **Painting**

Due to the use of high quality materials painting is not normally required, this removes the danger of material contamination due to paint flakes entering the application and avoids maintenance time required for periodic repainting. For specific applications however a range of surface finishes can be applied ranging from simple painting to match a company colour scheme to powder coating for chemical resistance and boron nitride coatings for the most challenging high temperature applications.

### **Control Equipment.**

Acoustic Cleaners are controlled by allowing compressed air to flow through the Wave Generator when a solenoid valve is opened. Primasonics solenoid valves can be controlled either through dedicated, integrated timer units, from the clients central or local control system or from dedicated control panels which can be supplied by Primasonics. In all cases the below specifications apply.

Minimum IP Rating 65.

Operating Voltages AC 24, 110, 230V. Frequency 50, 60 Hz. DC 24V

Response time 50-500 ms

Power Consumption Inrush 36VA at DN13 Hold 14VA/8 W at DN 13.

Electrical Connection. Cable plug DIN 43 650 A.

Duty Cycle 100% continuously rated.

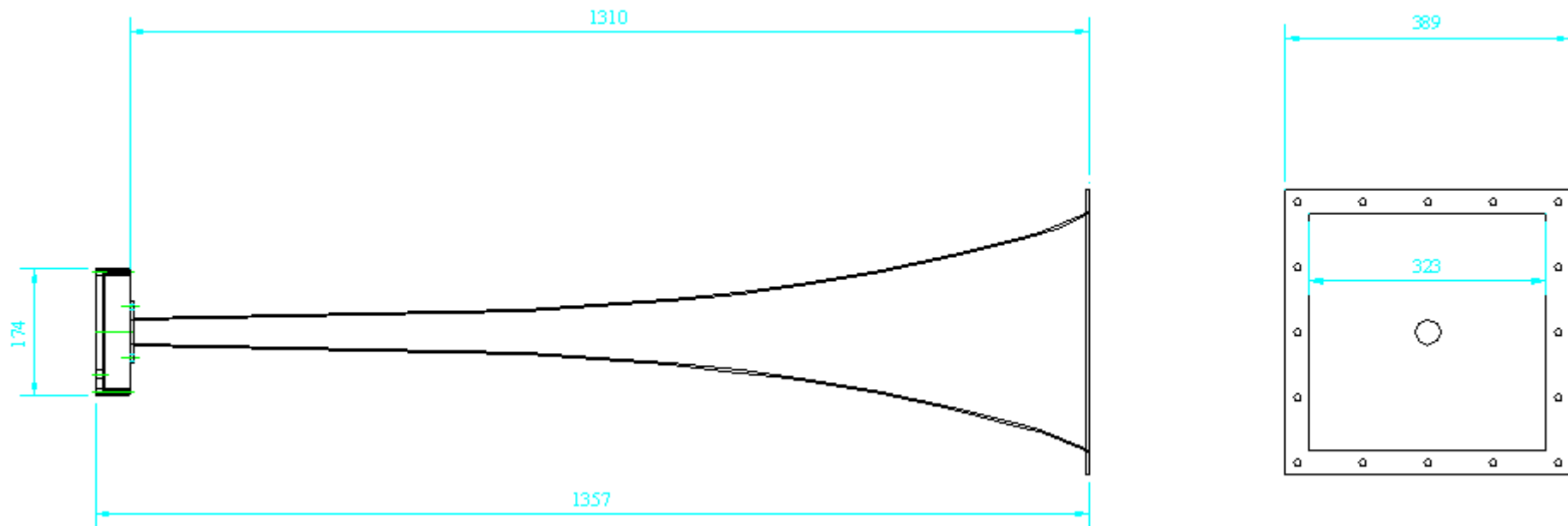
Body Materials. Brass or Stainless Steel

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**QUATTROSONICS™ AUDIOSONICS™ ACOUSTIC CLEANER**  
**DIMENSIONAL DRAWING**

**Drawing No. AS080F**

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## QUATTROSONICS™ AUDIOSONICS™ ACOUSTIC CLEANER GENERAL PIPING ARRANGEMENT

(PRIMASONICS PART NUMBER IN BRACKETS)

